

Application No.: 10/500,042  
Art Unit: 1797

Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.121  
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**AMENDMENTS TO THE DRAWINGS**

The attached replacement sheets of drawings include changes to Figs. 1-7.

In the drawings, the foreign language has been replaced with English language designations for the term "Fig.".

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**REMARKS**

In view of the aforementioned amendments to the drawings and accompanying remarks, Applicants submit that the claims, as previously presented are in condition for allowance. Applicants request such action at an early date.

If this paper is not timely filed, Applicants respectfully petition for an appropriate extension of time. The fees for such an extension or any other fees that may be due with respect to this paper may be charged to Deposit Account No. 50-2866.

Respectfully submitted,

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Enclosures: Replacement sheets (Figs. 1-7).